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SECDEF FOR ISA-EUR. FROM ODC-BELLUX

ASD FOR YP. AFPROGDC FOR XP

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: MILI, MPOL, BE

SUBJ: CONUS VISIT MINISTER OF DEFENSE VANDEN BOEYNANTS

REF: A. BRUSSELS 0090 171846Z JAN 78. B. BRUSSELS 01690
271708Z JAN 78. C. TELECON COL LAWRENCE/LTC KLASS
2 FEB 78.

1. COLONEL J. LEFEBVRE (RECENTLY PROMOTED TO CHEF DE
CABINET) SAID FOLLOWING IS MINISTER'S ITINERARY:

A. 4 FEB 78: ARRIVE NEW YORK VIA SABENA AT 1400
(HOTEL REGENCY).

B. 5 FEB 78: DEPART NEW YORK - ARRIVE FT WORTH/DALLAS
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AT 1330 (HOTEL HILTON/FT WORTH).

C. 6 FEB 78: VISIT GD/FT WORTH. DEPART FOR SAN FRAN-
CISCO FOLLOWING GD VISIT (HOTEL HYATT REGENCY/S.F.)

D. 8 FEB 78: DEPART SAN FRANCISCO - ARRIVE LAS VEGAS
AT 0940 (HOTEL CESAER'S PALACE). PICK UP AT HOTEL

1115-1130 AND VISIT NELLIS AFB.

E. 9 FEB 78: DEPART LAS VEGAS - ARRIVE NEW YORK 1730
(HOTEL REGENCY).

F. 10 FEB 78: DEPART NEW YORK FOR WASHDC - ARRIVE 0855.
BELGIAN MILITARY ATTACHE WILL MEET MINISTER AND DELIVER
TO PENTAGON FOR 1000 MEETING WITH SECDEF. DEPART DC
FOLLOWING MEETING WITH SECDEF FOR NEW YORK (HOTEL REGENCY)

G. 11 FEB 78: DEPART NEW YORK PM. VIA SABENA FOR
BRUSSELS.

2. AT THIS TIME PROMISED FULL LISTING OF DISCUSSION ITEMS
FOR SECDEF HAS NOT BEEN PASSED BY COL LEFEBVRE. IN CON-
VERSATION THIS A.M., COL LEFEBVRE INDICATED PRIMARY IN-
TEREST WOULD BE FOCUSED ON THE ELECTRONIC COUNTERMEASURES
ISSUE, SPECIFICALLY ITEMS SUCH AS THE PROVISION OF THREAT
DATA AND THE TESTING OF THE BELGIAN PROPOSED-PURCHASE OF
LORAL RAPPORT II SYSTEM AT AFEWES. THESE LATEST ITEMS
WERE MENTIONED DURING RECENT VISIT OF GENERAL DE SMET TO
U.S. IN MEETING WITH CSAF AND OTHERS. SEE BRUSSELS 02035
DTG 021013Z FEB 78 FOR LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN HAWK PRO-
GRAM AND TIMING OF MINISTER'S VISIT VIS-A-VIS TIMING OF
CABINET DECISION. LATEST DISCUSSION WITH COL LEFEBVRE
INDICATED THAT MINISTER STILL PLANS TO RAISE HAWK ISSUE
ONLY IN CONTEXT OF THANKING SECDEF FOR HIS HELP SO FAR.
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3. AFTER QUESTIONING COL LEFEBVRE ON ARRANGEMENTS FOR
VISIT TO GD/FT WORTH, COL LEFEBVRE APOLOGIZED FOR NOT
HANDLING VISIT THRU OFFICIAL U.S. CHANNELS AND HAS THERE-
FORE ASKED THIS OFFICE TO REQUEST OFFICIAL HQS USAF
APPROVAL FOR PROPOSED VISIT TO GD/FT WORTH. PRIOR AR-
RANGEMENTS FOR THIS VISIT HAVE BEEN MADE BY COL LEFEBVRE
THRU GD CORPORATE OFFICES HERE IN BRUSSELS.

4. POINT OF CONTACT FOR VISIT IS COLONEL RICHARD C.
LAWRENCE, CHIEF ODC-BELLUX, OFFICE TEL: 513.38.30 EXT 351;
HOME TEL: 767.99.24. ALTERNATE IS COLONEL HOWLAND
RUSSELL, AIR ATTACHE, OFFICE TEL: 513.38.30 EXT 234;
HOME TEL: 731.05.48. GDS 31.DEC 84. CHAMBERS

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